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In re Application of:

Docket No. 213202.00486

MATT SMITH, ET AL.

Application No.: 10/689,069

Examiner: P.L. Nordmeyer

Filed: October 21, 2003

Group Art Unit: 1772

For: FOAM ELEMENT HAVING MOLDED  
GAS PASSAGEWAYS AND PROCESS  
FOR PRODUCTION THEREOF

Date: December 23, 2004

THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment and Petition For Extension Of Time  
in the above-identified application.

☒ An additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

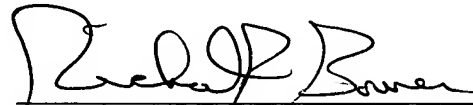
CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	* 63	MINUS	** 22	= 41	x \$25 \$50	\$1,025.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	* 3	MINUS	*** 3	= 0	x \$100 \$200	\$000.00
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$180°/\$360						
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT-						\$1,025.00

☐ °Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not  
filed previously.

☐ A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed.

- ☒ Charge \$1,025.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-1710 for the additional claims fee. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.
- ☐ Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 50-1710 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1710. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.
- ☒ Charge \$1,020.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-1710 to cover the fee for a three (3) month extension of time fee. A duplicate copy of this paper is attached.
- ☐ Charge \$       to Deposit Account No. 50-1710 to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee. A duplicate copy of this paper is attached.
- ☒ Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 625-3507. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,



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PATENT APPLICATION



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)

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**AMENDMENT AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Sir:

Applicants petition to extend the time for response to the June 29, 2004 Office Action to December 29, 2004. Please charge Deposit Account 50-1710 \$1020.00 for payment of the extension fee. Any additional fee required, and any overpayments should also be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-1710.

In response to the June 29, 2004 Office Action, please enter the following amendments.

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**I. Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**II. Remarks** begin on page 14 of this paper.